

Prince, Roy

From: Wilson, Howard
Sent: Thursday, September 04, 2014 11:32 AM
To: Huff, Mark J; Prince, Roy
Cc: Watson, Cassie; Carpenter, Wesley
Subject: RE: Draft Response to OSHA

Good catch Mark – I forgot to update based on recent discussion with Roy.

Howard

From: Huff, Mark J
Sent: Thursday, September 04, 2014 11:27 AM
To: Wilson, Howard; Prince, Roy
Cc: Watson, Cassie; Carpenter, Wesley
Subject: RE: Draft Response to OSHA

We provided copies to Barnes and Rosemarie and one factual comment is that the next All-Hands meeting to address this issue won't be until 10/7 or later.

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Sent: Thursday, September 04, 2014 10:52 AM
To: Prince, Roy; Huff, Mark J
Cc: Watson, Cassie; Carpenter, Wesley
Subject: Draft Response to OSHA

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Howard

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From: Wilson, Howard
Sent: Thursday, September 04, 2014 9:33 AM
To: Prince, Roy
Subject: RE: Question regarding OSHA response

Yes -- good reminder.

From: Prince, Roy
Sent: Wednesday, September 03, 2014 4:05 PM
To: Wilson, Howard
Cc: Huff, Mark J; Roth, Barbara; Johnson, Barnes; Kelley, Rosemarie
Subject: Question regarding OSHA response

Howard: when you send forward the Agency's response to OSHA, will the unions and LER be cced? Also, although we'll obviously be sharing that response with all of our employees, is there a requirement that it be posted here as well? Thank you.

Roy

Prince, Roy

From: Wilson, Howard
Sent: Wednesday, September 03, 2014 5:08 PM
To: Prince, Roy
Subject: FW: Office of Pesticide Programs contacts for PYNorth pesticide incident

fyi

From: Dr. R Hugh Granger Ph.D. [mailto:hgranger@hpenviron.com]
Sent: Tuesday, September 02, 2014 5:47 PM
To: Wilson, Howard
Subject: Re: Office of Pesticide Programs contacts for PYNorth pesticide incident

Howard,

I can be available September 8, 9, 11 or 12 for the all hands meeting. I am very sorry but I will be traveling with Nancy from the 13 through 10/4. I hope that is not a problem with the scheduling of the all hands meeting. It is possible that I could participate on the phone but at various times during my trip I will be out of touch by phone. I am not certain when those times will occur.

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A large block of text is redacted with black bars. The redaction covers approximately five lines of text.

Again, I am very sorry about my limited availability after 9/12.

Hugh



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On Sep 2, 2014, at 3:14 PM, Wilson, Howard <Wilson.Howard@epa.gov> wrote:

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OK Wes – thank you. It would be most helpful if you could let us know of the earliest date for an All-hands that can accommodate all of your schedules. Barnes has indicated he'd like to have that meeting asap.

Roy

From: Carpenter, Wesley

Sent: Tuesday, September 02, 2014 1:06 PM

To: Prince, Roy; Wilson, Howard

Cc: Huff, Mark J; Watson, Cassie

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703-305-0874

Elissa Reaves
Chief, Risk Assessment Branch, HED
703-305-0312

-----Original Message-----

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Sent: Tuesday, August 05, 2014 12:12 PM
To: Nguyen, Thuy
Cc: Watson, Cassie; Dady, John
Subject: FW: Message from "RNP00267344B225"

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From: Smith, HelenT
Sent: Friday, August 29, 2014 12:55 PM
To: Prince, Roy
Subject: RE: Update on ORCR 8/28/14 All-hands meeting regarding 5th floor situation and potential next steps

Roy, they will come out on Thursday between 9:00 -1:00 to shampoo and deodorize 14 chairs at a cost of \$163.80. This can be put on the bankcard. Thank you Roy.

From: Prince, Roy
Sent: Friday, August 29, 2014 12:48 PM
To: Smith, HelenT
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Update on ORCR 8/28/14 All-hands meeting regarding 5th floor situation and potential next steps

Sounds good Helen. I've also cced [REDACTED] here so she is aware we are making attempts to get her chair cleaned asap.

From: Smith, HelenT
Sent: Friday, August 29, 2014 12:36 PM
To: Prince, Roy
Subject: RE: Update on ORCR 8/28/14 All-hands meeting regarding 5th floor situation and potential next steps

I will do this ASAP and I will get back to you with day and time.

From: Prince, Roy
Sent: Friday, August 29, 2014 12:28 PM
To: Smith, HelenT
Subject: RE: Update on ORCR 8/28/14 All-hands meeting regarding 5th floor situation and potential next steps

That's fine if it helps us get it done asap.

From: Smith, HelenT
Sent: Friday, August 29, 2014 12:23 PM
To: Prince, Roy
Subject: RE: Update on ORCR 8/28/14 All-hands meeting regarding 5th floor situation and potential next steps

Yes, I meant minimum charge is \$109.00. If you don't mind there are conference room chairs in the first floor that could stand to be cleaned. If this would help you out with [REDACTED] chair.

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Sent: Friday, August 29, 2014 12:13 PM
To: Smith, HelenT
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To my knowledge that's the only chair Helen. But did you mean that their minimum charge is \$109?

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Are there other chairs that need to be cleaned. Stanley Streamer will not come out for one chair to be cleaned. Their maximum charge is \$109.00.

From: Prince, Roy
Sent: Friday, August 29, 2014 12:07 PM
To: Smith, HelenT
Cc: Englander, Jana
Subject: FW: Update on ORCR 8/28/14 All-hands meeting regarding 5th floor situation and potential next steps

Hey Helen: is it possible to have [REDACTED] chair cleaned asap? It's a fabric chair currently in N [REDACTED]. We can pay to have the chair cleaned. Jana is continuing to have reactions despite being moved to the sixth floor. It's possible that it's due to the chair, particularly since it's fabric. Thanks.

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Friday, August 29, 2014 11:48 AM
To: Prince, Roy
Subject: Re: Update on ORCR 8/28/14 All-hands meeting regarding 5th floor situation and potential next steps

Hi Roy,

Thank you for the email and setting up the all hands meeting for yesterday. You may be interested in knowing that I had taken my five chair to the 6th floor cubicle. It is fabric covered. It may be possible that this is the reason for my continued sensitivity on the 6th floor??

Could you please ensure that the chair is cleaned as well? Maybe have it moved back to the fifth floor cubicle?

Thank you.



Prince, Roy

From: Watson, Cassie
Sent: Thursday, August 28, 2014 4:27 PM
To: Rees, Regina
Cc: Smith, HelenT; Barbour-Swann, Shuan; Fielden, Daniel; Prince, Roy
Subject: RE: Employee Report - All Hands On Meeting

Regina,

I forwarded you a copy of the reports. I know we didn't record anything. However, maybe Helen or Roy had the meeting recorded.

From: Rees, Regina [mailto:Regina.Rees@cassidyurley.com]
Sent: Thursday, August 28, 2014 1:02 PM
To: Watson, Cassie
Subject: Employee Report - All Hands On Meeting

Cassie,

Can you please send me a copy of the report that was sent out to employees yesterday afternoon in response to the 5th floor incident? Also, do you have a recording of today's meeting?

Thank you.

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Cassidy Turley
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From: Watson, Cassie
Sent: Wednesday, August 27, 2014 6:28 PM
To: Kelley, Rosemarie
Cc: Fielden, Daniel; Keyes, David; Carpenter, Wesley; Huff, Mark J; Prince, Roy
Subject: RE: Corrected Version: Potomac Yard Odor Incident

Rosemarie,
My apology for sending this email by mistake. Please remove Rosemarie Kelley for the cc.
Thanks
Cassie

From: Carpenter, Wesley
Sent: Wednesday, August 27, 2014 6:18 PM
To: Huff, Mark J; Watson, Cassie; Prince, Roy
Cc: Fielden, Daniel; Keyes, David; Kelley, Rosemarie
Subject: RE: Corrected Version: Potomac Yard Odor Incident
Mark:

I will be arriving at approximately 8:30 am tomorrow via the shuttle. I will be available at that time.

Wes

Sent from my Windows Phone

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Thanks

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To: Kovak, Brian
Cc: Huff, Mark J; Prince, Roy; Holland, Christopher (PSC/FOH/CHS) (CTR)
Subject: RE: Potomac Yard Odor Incident

Brian,
I sent your request to Roy and Mark.

From: Kovak, Brian
Sent: Wednesday, August 27, 2014 4:52 PM
To: Watson, Cassie
Subject: RE: Potomac Yard Odor Incident

Thanks Cassie. Do we have a call in number for tomorrow's meeting. As I mentioned the other day, I have a conflict so will need to call in with Dr. Holland.

Thanks,
Brian

From: Watson, Cassie
Sent: Wednesday, August 27, 2014 4:48 PM
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I wanted to send you a copy outside of everyone.

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Cc: Huff, Mark J
Subject: RE: Corrected Version: Potomac Yard Odor Incident

FYI this is the final report. I will add the IAQ testing info in my email. We have a September 9, date for Dr. Granger to return.

From: Prince, Roy
Sent: Wednesday, August 27, 2014 4:23 PM
To: Watson, Cassie
Subject: Fwd: Corrected Version: Potomac Yard Odor Incident

I just talked to Mark Cassie - good to go.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Huff, Mark J" <huff.markj@epa.gov>
Date: August 27, 2014 at 4:15:19 PM EDT
To: "Watson, Cassie" <Watson.Cassie@epa.gov>, "Prince, Roy" <Prince.Roy@epa.gov>, "Carpenter, Wesley" <Carpenter.Wesley@epa.gov>
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Subject: Corrected Version: Potomac Yard Odor Incident

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Respectfully,
Cassie Watson
Chief, Operations Branch
Safety, Health & Environmental Mgmt. Division

Prince, Roy

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Sent: Wednesday, August 27, 2014 4:18 PM
To: Huff, Mark J; Prince, Roy; Carpenter, Wesley
Cc: Fielden, Daniel; Keyes, David
Subject: RE: Corrected Version: Potomac Yard Odor Incident

Thanks, Mark. Will do.

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Prince, Roy

From: Watson, Cassie
Sent: Wednesday, August 27, 2014 4:14 PM
To: Prince, Roy
Cc: Huff, Mark J
Subject: RE: Cassie: are you answering emails?

Importance: High

Roy- are you answering email? I want to release the report now. I just got it back from editing.

From: Prince, Roy
Sent: Wednesday, August 27, 2014 12:38 PM
To: Watson, Cassie
Cc: Huff, Mark J
Subject: Re: Cassie: are you answering emails?

OK Cassie - thanks. Wes also told me you would send them out to all of ORCR. The address block is OSWER ORCR Everyone. Also - please send to Mark and I to take a quick look prior to sending it out. Thanks very much.

Roy

Sent from my iPhone

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Sent from my Windows Phone

From: [Prince, Roy](#)
Sent: 8/27/2014 12:06 PM
To: [Watson, Cassie](#)
Cc: [Huff, Mark J](#)
Subject: RE: Cassie: are you answering emails?

Thanks Cassie. I spoke to Wes. He said you were finishing up the reports? Are you all still of the mind to send them out prior to the meeting tomorrow morning?

From: Watson, Cassie
Sent: Wednesday, August 27, 2014 11:04 AM

To: Prince, Roy

Subject: RE: Cassie: are you answering emails?

Yes

Sent from my Windows Phone

From: Prince, Roy

Sent: 8/27/2014 8:50 AM

To: Watson, Cassie

Subject: Cassie: are you answering emails?

Prince, Roy

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Subject: RE: Cassie: are you answering emails?

Will do.

Sent from my Windows Phone

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To: Watson, Cassie
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Prince, Roy

From: Watson, Cassie
Sent: Tuesday, August 26, 2014 8:04 AM
To: Prince, Roy
Subject: All Hands Agenda

Good morning Roy,
Please provide me your input for the agenda. Do you know if Matty will be in attendance? Your input is welcome.
Cassie

Sent from my Windows Phone

Prince, Roy

From: Watson, Cassie
Sent: Monday, August 25, 2014 4:33 PM
To: Prince, Roy; Huff, Mark J
Cc: Carpenter, Wesley; Wilson, Howard
Subject: RE: ORCR Update Language

Thanks Roy.

From: Prince, Roy
Sent: Monday, August 25, 2014 4:30 PM
To: Watson, Cassie; Huff, Mark J
Cc: Carpenter, Wesley; Wilson, Howard
Subject: RE: ORCR Update Language

Thank you Cassie. Some of the information we are providing to ORCR employees has been shared with FFRRO and OUST – but we’ve not been including FFRRO and OUST on the regularly scheduled Monday and Wednesday updates to our ORCR employees. I did send an email to OUST and FFRRO management earlier today to alert them that you and Dr. Granger would be conducting an All-hands meeting should they wish to let their staffs know about it.

Roy

From: Watson, Cassie
Sent: Monday, August 25, 2014 4:24 PM
To: Prince, Roy; Huff, Mark J
Cc: Carpenter, Wesley; Wilson, Howard
Subject: ORCR Update Language

Roy,

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Please include the following information in your update today and, once we receive it, we will provide Dr. Granger’s updated draft report to you for distribution first thing tomorrow morning.

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Chief, Operations Branch
Safety, Health & Environmental Mgmt. Division

Prince, Roy

From: Watson, Cassie
Sent: Monday, August 25, 2014 11:12 AM
To: Prince, Roy
Subject: Accepted: ORCR All-hands Meeting

Prince, Roy

From: Watson, Cassie
Sent: Monday, August 25, 2014 9:14 AM
To: Prince, Roy; Wilson, Howard; Carpenter, Wesley
Subject: RE: All Hands Meeting on Thursday Morning

Good morning Roy

Yes, you are correct. Dr. Granger, Wes and I will be there Thursday, August 28 for the All-Hands from 9:00-10:30. I will let Dr. Granger know the time.

Thanks.

Cassie

Sent from my Windows Phone

From: Prince, Roy
Sent: 8/25/2014 8:00 AM
To: Wilson, Howard; Watson, Cassie
Subject: All Hands Meeting on Thursday Morning

Good morning Howard and Cassie. I'm planning to send out an invite this morning for an ORCR All-hands this Thursday morning, August 28th, from 9 to 10:30 am, for Dr. Granger and all to discuss findings and conclusions to date. Just want to confirm that all of you are on board for that still? The meeting will be held in our Large Conference Room on the first floor of the Potomac Yard South Building. Please let me know asap so I can get the invite out. Thank you.
Roy

Prince, Roy

From: Wilson, Howard
Sent: Friday, August 22, 2014 3:58 PM
To: Huff, Mark J; Prince, Roy
Cc: Hugh At HPE; Watson, Cassie
Subject: FW: Preamble to report for EPA
Attachments: Preamble.pdf; ATT00001.txt; Preamble.docx; ATT00002.txt; PastedGraphic-2.tiff; ATT00003.txt

Any comments on Hugh's Preamble -- Final Draft Report expected Monday.

-----Original Message-----

From: Dr. R Hugh Granger Ph.D. [mailto:hgranger@hpenviron.com]
Sent: Friday, August 22, 2014 4:25 AM
To: Jonathon Hall
Subject: Preamble to report for EPA

Jonathon,

I know I risk being "unfriended", but could you please read and edit/comment on the attached Preamble to the EPA report you already edited for me?

In discussions this morning with several EPA managers who have direct responsibility for the 5th floor occupants, they expressed concerns that the previous version of the report may not have introduced all subjects with adequate sensitivity to the occupants current state. I agreed with their assessment. I was originally thinking that a Frequently Asked Questions attachment to the report would be a my way of toning down the document while allowing the main report to be a cold presentation of facts. After consideration, I decided a preamble to the report, that will appear before the table of contents, would be a better means for easing into the body of the report. With that said, could you read this preamble for me and let me know what you think and make corrections that almost certainly are necessary at this hour of the night. I will be updated the body of the report to reflect the statements in the Preamble.

Regards and many thanks,

Hugh

Prince, Roy

From: Wilson, Howard
Sent: Thursday, August 21, 2014 10:47 AM
To: Prince, Roy
Cc: Huff, Mark J; Watson, Cassie; Hugh At HPE
Subject: RE: 5th Floor Space Update as of Wednesday, August 20th

Thanks Roy – I will respond to the questions today.

Howard

From: Prince, Roy
Sent: Thursday, August 21, 2014 10:29 AM
To: Wilson, Howard
Cc: Huff, Mark J
Subject: FW: 5th Floor Space Update as of Wednesday, August 20th

Howard, beyond the question this morning I received from an employee asking what indoor air sampling has occurred, I've received a new set of questions from another employee that I wanted to share with you.

From: (b) (6)
Sent: Thursday, August 21, 2014 10:13 AM
To: Prince, Roy
Cc: Fitz-James, Schatzi
Subject: RE: 5th Floor Space Update as of Wednesday, August 20th

Good morning, Roy,

Sorry to bother you once again with questions, but I have some additional questions regarding the new information you provided to us yesterday. (Thank you for that, by the way.) I know that you likely do not have the answers readily available, but I would appreciate any information you can find out and provide.

My questions are:

- 1) If people are still having reactions in a RCSD Conference Room on the 5th floor even though that room has been shampooed and surface cleaned several weeks ago, why do they believe doing it again will solve the problem? Perhaps a different cleaning method should be employed?
- 2) Did they only take one water sample from the pantry? Were any other items or areas sampled on the fifth floor?
- 3) What was their original hypothesis on the cause of the situation? If they do not want to share that information, is there a particular reason as to why?

- 4) What is the purpose/goal of the visual inspection of the mechanical system by Dr. Hugh Granger? And, what is meant by "mechanical system"?
- 5) Will we be able to see the working draft (or final version) of Dr. Granger's investigation? If so, can this be shared with us prior to the All Hands meeting to give us time to review it?
- 6) When can we expect to see Dr. Holland's report? Although Dr. Granger's report takes into account the interviews between Dr. Holland and ORCR employees, there is value in reading Dr. Holland's report on its own, preferably before the All Hands meeting.
- 7) Can Dr. Granger, SHEMD officials, and others involved in the investigation disseminate their information to ORCR employees outlining the investigation and their findings and conclusions before the All Hands meeting, rather than at the All Hands meeting? I believe this will allow staff the opportunity to come prepared to the meeting and ask questions not covered in the reports.

Thanks again Roy for all that you are doing. I really appreciate your efforts to keep us updated on this situation.

[REDACTED];

[REDACTED]
Office of Resource Conservation and Recovery

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Mail Code: 5304P
Washington, D.C. 20460

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Web site: <http://www.epa.gov/waste/homeland/index.htm>

From: Prince, Roy

Sent: Wednesday, August 20, 2014 5:08 PM

To: OSWER ORCR EVERYONE

Subject: 5th Floor Space Update as of Wednesday, August 20th

Hello everyone- here is the latest update regarding the situation impacting our 5th floor space as of Wednesday, August 20th :

- Some employees reported having a reaction last Friday after spending time in the RCSD Conference Room on the 5th floor. Although that room had been shampooed and surface cleaned several weeks ago, building management completed those cleaning procedures once again earlier this week.
- A water sample was collected from the pantry on Friday, August 15th and SHEMD is awaiting final results. The preliminary results did not indicate the presence of chemical oxidizers that were of interest in some original hypothesis on the cause of the situation.
- A visual inspection of the mechanical system involving Dr. Hugh Granger, toxicologist from HP Environmental and the building management company will occur on Tuesday, August 26th.

- Brian Kovak, OSWER's Safety, Health, and Environmental Management Official continues his involvement in meetings with SHEMD concerning the investigation of the incident. Brian participated in an interview on Thurs. August 14th with representatives of the building owner and the building management company including their mechanical engineer and industrial hygienist.
- Dr. Granger and Dr. Thuy Nguyen (Director of EPA's Analytical Chemistry Lab at Ft. Meade) held a second meeting this past Monday, August 18th to discuss possible causes of the incident on July 3rd. Further, a second interview was conducted with the individual who sprayed the plant. Dr. Granger is still preparing a working draft of his investigation (which takes into account the interviews between Dr. Holland and ORCR employees) and hopes to finalize his report within the next week or so.
- An ORCR All-hands meeting is being planned for as soon as possible. Details will be forthcoming. The meeting will be attended by Dr. Granger, SHEMD officials, and others involved in the investigation and will include their dissemination of information to ORCR employees outlining the investigation and their findings and conclusions.

We will continue to let you know information as we receive it, along with sending out regular emails Monday and Wednesday afternoons until this situation has been fully resolved.

Thanks again for your patience and let me and/or your managers know if there is anything we can do to help.

Roy

Prince, Roy

From: Wilson, Howard
Sent: Wednesday, August 20, 2014 8:53 PM
To: Prince, Roy
Cc: Watson, Cassie; Dr. R Hugh Granger Ph.D.
Subject: Fw: Environmental Study

Roy: I think we need to meet with [REDACTED] and ORCR employees sooner rather than later to let them know we have done a lot and work on this everyday.

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

Original Message

From: (b) (6)
Sent: Tuesday, August 19, 2014 9:19 AM
To: Prince, Roy
Cc: Englander, Jana; Hoffman, Stephen; Fitz-James, Schatzi; Wilson, Howard; Watson, Cassie; Huff, Mark J; Johnson, Barnes
Subject: RE: Environmental Study

Roy,

Not sure if anyone has contacted an EPA OSC from Region 3, (b) (6), (b) (5)

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

I always thought EPA's mission was to protect public health and safety. Lets apply it here and not take forever to do it.

(b) (6)

[REDACTED]

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From: Prince, Roy

Sent: Tuesday, August 19, 2014 8:48 AM

Cc: [REDACTED]; Hoffman, Stephen; Fitz-James, Schatzi; Wilson, Howard; Watson, Cassie; Huff, Mark J; Johnson, Barnes
Subject: Re: Environmental Study

[REDACTED] - I am out of the office today. Yes - Cheryl made us aware yesterday that Paul and some others had a reaction from going into that conference room. I did check with facilities to see if the conference room had been cleaned in the same manner as the cubicle space and was told it had been. I also alerted SHEMD of the fact that it had occurred. I've also cced them on this email to alert them to your concern.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Aug 19, 2014, at 7:49 AM, [REDACTED] wrote:

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> Roy,

> Are you aware that people are still have affects from plants in the
> RCSD. Paul and Jean were in the conference room on Friday and were
> still being affected. There is nothing that shows me that you have a
> handle on this even though it is 2 months after the incident. Still
> waiting for the important decision to be made. Not sure why it is
> taking so long. [REDACTED]

> From: Prince, Roy

> Sent: Monday, August 18, 2014 3:57 PM

> [REDACTED]
> Subject: RE: Environmental Study

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> Also [REDACTED]: additionally - I mentioned in the email I sent out to everyone last Wednesday that an All-hands meeting is in the planning stages for September 3rd or 4th, and I've been told it will include Dr. Holland and the toxicologist from the firm hired by SHEMD to look into the issue, and also hopefully the chemist that's being consulted in EPA's Analytical Chemistry Lab in Ft. Meade. We would obviously be expecting a report from them at that meeting outlining all of their efforts and findings up to that time. However, in the meantime, any parts of that information that I become aware of leading up to that meeting will be shared with everyone in the office.

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> Roy

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Prince, Roy

> Sent: Monday, August 18, 2014 3:10 PM
> [REDACTED]
> Subject: RE: Environmental Study
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> [REDACTED] thanks for emailing me with your questions. Earlier today I forwarded [REDACTED] email to the Health and Safety office to obtain the answers. They've not got back to me yet. As soon as I know the answers I will get back to you. Thanks.
>
> Roy
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> -----Original Message-----
> From: [REDACTED]
> Sent: Monday, August 18, 2014 11:02 AM
> To: [REDACTED]; Prince, Roy
> Subject: RE: Environmental Study
>
> Roy, I am also awaiting the same answer. It has been two months since the incident and those of us who have been impacted are waiting to here about the one thing that needs to happen to be able to ensure that it is safe to come back to work. [REDACTED]
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> From: [REDACTED]
> Sent: Monday, August 18, 2014 8:35 AM
> To: Prince, Roy
> Subject: Environmental Study
>
> Hello Roy,
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>
> Last week when I spoke to Dr. Holland, he mentioned that EPA was about to start on an environmental study last week on the fifth floor. There wasn't anything with regards to that in your updates from last week. Could you please verify whether or not there is an active environmental study, what it entails and when results will be known?
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> Thanks,
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>
> [REDACTED]
>
> [REDACTED]
> Office of Resource Conservation and Recovery, Materials Recovery Waste
> Management Division Energy Recovery and Waste Disposal Branch U.S.

Prince, Roy

From: Wilson, Howard
Sent: Wednesday, August 20, 2014 5:09 PM
To: Prince, Roy
Subject: RE: Telephone with Dr. Holland

Roy: yes; we can get an appointment for [REDACTED] to talk with Dr. Holland – he is on two weeks of vacation and is scheduled to be back on Sept. 5. I suspect his first available date would be Tues. 9/9. I will send a note to him and Lakeeta Carr – our coordinator of FOH services.

From: Prince, Roy
Sent: Thursday, August 14, 2014 11:16 AM
To: Wilson, Howard; Watson, Cassie
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: Telephone with Dr. Holland

Howard/Cassie: one of our employees – [REDACTED] – contacted me to ask if it was still possible to talk to Dr. Holland. Although his scheduled appointment time is over here in ORCR, I thought it might be possible to arrange a telephone conversation for [REDACTED]. Is that doable? He had mentioned he was going on vacation – not sure if he's left yet or not. Thanks.

Roy

Prince, Roy

From: Wilson, Howard
Sent: Wednesday, August 20, 2014 2:21 PM
To: Prince, Roy
Cc: Ames, Jeremy; Roth, Barbara; Huff, Mark J
Subject: RE: Desk Statement on the Plant Pesticide Spray Incident

Thanks everyone. I appreciate the timely review.

From: Prince, Roy
Sent: Wednesday, August 20, 2014 2:00 PM
To: Wilson, Howard
Cc: Ames, Jeremy; Roth, Barbara; Huff, Mark J
Subject: FW: Desk Statement on the Plant Pesticide Spray Incident

Howard: please see the attached document with our suggested reorganization and also the comments from Mark just below. Thanks.

From: Huff, Mark J
Sent: Wednesday, August 20, 2014 1:41 PM
To: Ames, Jeremy; Prince, Roy
Cc: Roth, Barbara
Subject: RE: Desk Statement on the Plant Pesticide Spray Incident

I'd also remove the statement "explain the odor", I seriously doubt that we will ever be able to explain the exact nature of what precipitated the precise chemical reaction. I think we'll only be able to say what we did to remediate the reaction and why we think it's safe to go back into the space.

From: Ames, Jeremy
Sent: Wednesday, August 20, 2014 1:36 PM
To: Prince, Roy
Cc: Huff, Mark J; Roth, Barbara
Subject: RE: Desk Statement on the Plant Pesticide Spray Incident

This is a bit long and detailed for a desk statement, though it looks like George Hull may have already reviewed. I reorganized it into the standard desk statement format and made a few minor edits. My only other questions/suggestion is shouldn't we more clearly indicate the role of the building owners/management?

From: Wilson, Howard
Sent: Friday, August 15, 2014 3:24 PM
To: Prince, Roy; Watson, Cassie
Cc: Carpenter, Wesley; Hull, George
Subject: Desk Statement on the Plant Pesticide Spray Incident

Roy/Cassie: I've updated a desk statement that will be provided to OPA in the event a public communication is requested. I would appreciate your comments as soon as possible.

Thank you.

Howard O. Wilson, Deputy Director
Safety, Health and Environmental Management Division
Office of Administration, OARM
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Prince, Roy

From: Wilson, Howard
Sent: Wednesday, August 20, 2014 2:20 PM
To: Prince, Roy; Watson, Cassie
Cc: Huff, Mark J; Dr. R Hugh Granger Ph.D.; Kovak, Brian
Subject: RE: Latest information for today's ORCR-wide email

Roy: Here are my response to your questions below. Please edit as you deem appropriate in your communication to employees.

From: Prince, Roy
Sent: Wednesday, August 20, 2014 7:50 AM
To: Wilson, Howard; Watson, Cassie
Cc: Huff, Mark J
Subject: Latest information for today's ORCR-wide email

Good morning Howard and Cassie. I'll be sending out another update to ORCR staff on the latest information by COB today. Will you please provide me with updated information on the following? I typically send the email out by 4 pm. Thank you.

Update on coordination or contact with Brian Kovak, OSWER's SHEMD official continue to compile and analyze information related to the July 3rd incident? We continue to include Brian in meetings related to the investigation of the incident. Although Brian is on vacation, he participated in an interview on Thurs. Aug. 14 with representatives of the building owner and building management company including their mechanical engineer and industrial hygienist. In addition to information gathered on the operation of the building HVAC system, it was recommended that a water sample be collected from the pantry and that a visual inspection of the mechanical system occur. The water was sampled on Friday and an inspection of the mechanical system involving Dr. Granger and the building management company is expected on Aug. 26. Brian will be included in the list of participants for the inspection. We are planning to brief NIOSH on our investigation to secure their reaction to the approach and recommendations/conclusions of the investigation – Brian will schedule this meeting.

Update on your work with Dr. Nguyen, Dr. Holland, and Dr. Granger, or any update on their work with building management or each other? Dr. Granger and Dr. Nguyen held a second meeting on Monday August 18 to discuss their hypotheses on the causes of the odor on July 3. They do concur that there was not a pesticide exposure to employees based on the concentration of pyrethrins in the container which was further reduced by addition of water and confirmed by the applicator that only a few sprays of the solution occurred on July 3 before the odor was detected and spraying was stopped. A second interview with the individual who sprayed the plant re-established the fact the odor emanated during spraying of the plant. Dr. Granger has prepared a working draft of his investigation that is under peer review and being adjusted to include information from additional interviews and research.

Anything that's occurred in the area of testing for anything related to the incident. At this point in time, sampling for the pesticide has not occurred for the reason that the calculated concentration of the pesticide released during the spraying would be well below any action levels or instrument detection

levels. Wipe samples of any residue have not occurred because all horizontal surfaces have been cleaned with soap and water, and carpet in the vicinity of the plant was removed. The air supply duct for the area is not insulated on the interior of the duct and did not provide an absorptive surface that might offer an opportunity for sampling. The preliminary results of the water sample did not indicate the presence of chemical oxidizers that were of interest in the early hypothesis on the cause of the odor. A verbal summary of the interviews between Dr. Holland and employees was provide to Dr. Granger on August 14.

We also need please to firm up the availability of all the Drs. regarding the All Hands we were planning for September 4th. Dr. Granger will be present for the all-hands meeting on September 4; Dr. Holland will still be on vacation. I do not yet have confirmation of Dr. Nguyen's availability.

Thanks very much.

Roy

Prince, Roy

From: Wilson, Howard
Sent: Wednesday, August 20, 2014 1:03 PM
To: Prince, Roy
Subject: FW: IAQ Incident Report
Attachments: IAQ Incident Report.docx; ATT00001.txt; IAQ Incident Report.pdf; ATT00002.txt; PastedGraphic-2.tiff; ATT00003.txt

Fyi

-----Original Message-----

From: Dr. R Hugh Granger Ph.D. [mailto:hgranger@hpenviron.com]
Sent: Monday, August 18, 2014 1:03 AM
To: CIH Jonathon Michael Hall MS MPH; Wilson, Howard
Cc: Mr. Brent Sharrer MS, CIH; Piotr P. Chmielinski MS, CIH
Subject: IAQ Incident Report

Good evening Jonathon,

I have attached a pdf and MS Word docx file that is an initial draft of a report I am preparing for Howard and Cassie at the EPA. You are a co-author on this report and I need you to critically read it and make all edits as you see fit. I know Howard would like to get this report out on Wednesday, if at all possible.

Jonathon, when you get a moment, I need a briefing on the water sample collection and the building system inspections. I was disappointed in the building owners delay of the inspections but perhaps you have already done this work and I do not know. I have made some assumptions related to the building systems inspections so I will have to hold the report until they allow us to take a look, if they have not already done so.

Howard,

I will be on the phone with you at 9 AM my time tomorrow. We need to discuss the building inspection and Dr. Hollands report. I did not see Dr. Holland's report so perhaps he only sent it to you. Please understand that I am only forwarding a copy of this IAQ report because I want you to see the format so you can plan ahead. I still need to insert references to many supporting documents, to prepare the Report Summary (it needs to jive with the summaries at the end of each section, and complete the FAQ section that I thought might be useful as a communication tool for the 5th floor occupants. Please understand that there will be many errors in this initial draft and you should expect some major modifications once I get a fresh look at Monday or Tuesday.

Thanks to everyone for your help.

Regards,

Prince, Roy

From: Wilson, Howard
Sent: Tuesday, August 19, 2014 1:05 PM
To: Prince, Roy
Cc: Dady, John; Smith, HelenT; Watson, Cassie; fyip@cdc.gov
Subject: FW: Reaction in 5th floor Conference Room last Friday, August 15th

fyi

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Sent: Tuesday, August 19, 2014 11:08 AM
To: Rees, Regina
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Subject: RE: Reaction in 5th floor Conference Room last Friday, August 15th

Oh great thank you....

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Sent: Tuesday, August 19, 2014 10:40 AM
To: Smith, HelenT
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From: Smith, HelenT
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To: Prince, Roy
Subject: RE: Reaction in 5th floor Conference Room last Friday, August 15th

Ok! Then I will remove them in the morning from that conference room.

-----Original Message-----

From: Prince, Roy
Sent: Tuesday, August 19, 2014 11:28 AM
To: Smith, HelenT
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Sent from my iPhone

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From: Smith, HelenT
Sent: Tuesday, August 19, 2014 11:13 AM
To: Prince, Roy; Bertrand, Charlotte
Subject: FW: Reaction in 5th floor Conference Room last Friday, August 15th
Attachments: removed.txt

See Regina email below for the cleaning and shampooing was done for second time last night. Since you all are a special group "No charge". Have a wonderful day.

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Cc: Huff, Mark J
Subject: Re: Environmental Study

I will invite -- don't know her availability -- will confirm today if possible

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Prince, Roy
Sent: Monday, August 18, 2014 4:07 PM
To: Wilson, Howard; Watson, Cassie
Cc: Huff, Mark J
Subject: RE: Environmental Study

OK. To the extent that another FOH Dr. could be up to speed with the Dr. Holland's findings and thoughts, I think that would work in light of the fact that Dr. Granger will be there also but not available the next week. How about Dr. Nguyen -- will she be available for the meeting?
Roy

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To: Prince, Roy; Watson, Cassie
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Thank you Howard. However, the 5th is not doable. It's a Friday and many people are out of the office. How about the 3rd? Is Dr. Holland available that day? It's a Wednesday and I reserved the room for that day as well.

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Sent: Monday, August 18, 2014 3:55 PM

To: Prince, Roy; Watson, Cassie

Cc: Huff, Mark J

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Roy: Dr. Holland is not available on Sept 4 but is available on the 5th -- I will invite Thuy Nguyen if you think it is important to have her there -- don't know her availability. Otherwise your response is fine.

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Subject: FW: Environmental Study

Howard/Cassie: I've received a question below from one our impacted employees. I would like to answer back as follows:

Yes, there is an active ongoing environmental study being conducted by HP Environmental, a firm that SHEMD has contracted with. An ORCR All-hands meeting will be held on Thursday, September 4th that will include Dr. Holland, the toxicologist from HP Environmental, and Dr. Thuy Nguyen from EPA's Analytical Chemistry Lab at Ft. Meade. If the results of the study are made know prior to the All-hands they will be shared immediately with the staff. If not, the results of the study up to that point will be made known at the meeting.

Please let me know if my proposed answer is factual and if it appears to be a proper response in your estimation. Thank you.

Roy

From: [REDACTED]

Sent: Monday, August 18, 2014 8:36 AM

To: Prince, Roy

Subject: Environmental Study

Hello Roy,

Last week when I spoke to Dr. Holland, he mentioned that EPA was about to start on an environmental study last week on the fifth floor. There wasn't anything with regards to that in your updates from last week. Could you please verify whether or not there is an active environmental study, what it entails and when results will be known?

Thanks,

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To: Wilson, Howard; Watson, Cassie
Cc: Huff, Mark J
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